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The Honorable Julius Genachowski, Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: IB Docket 11-109; ET Docket 10-142

## Chairman Genachowski:

I currently work and live in an older section of San Antonio, Texas and I am a graduate student. The lack of reliable and affordable high-speed wireless internet access hampers me and my productivity in my educational pursuits and my professional life. Crossing into different parts of my neighborhood results in dropped calls and broken internet connections. I am writing you today because I want to urge the FCC to take quick action on LightSquared's Petition for Declaratory Ruling. The network that they are proposing will expand wireless broadband connectivity to all parts of the country and increase options and competition in the wireless industry. We need a comprehensive and fair set of regulatory rights of all spectrum users and especially LightSquared before the company rollout their 4G LTE network in its licensed L-band spectrum.

I think this important and needed network should not be stopped because the GPS industry is complaining of interference issues when they have created the problem by manufacturing and selling devices that infringe on LightSquared's spectrum and they refuse to fix with easy and cheap components.

I believe that the role of the FCC is to protect the rights of our public spectrum and of people like me who need the bandwidth for commerce, education, and life. I also believe that the FCC must protect the rights of companies like LightSquared who have played by the rules.

In closing, please act immediately on LightSquared's case in its Petition for Declaratory Ruling and set the rules for responsible spectrum management by allowing LightSquared to deploy their new network.

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CC: The Honorable Kay Bailey Hutchison, John Cornyn Congressman Charles Gonzalez, Congressman Joe Barton

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